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PART V.

Season Report for the week ending with the Thirty-fifth Saturday in August 1931 (29th August 1931.)

District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A.M on Saturday 29th August 1931										Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
	This week		Last ten years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1931									
					This year		Average of past ten years		Excess (+) or deficit (—) of column 4 compared with column 5					
	1		2		3		4		5		6			
	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
												Seers	Seers	Seers
BANGALORE														
Bangalore City & Taluk	0	35	0	63	10	51	16	00	—5	49				
Hoskote	0	75	0	59	10	56	14	26	—3	68				
Dodballapur	0	77	1	06	14	20	15	04	—0	84	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·00	7·00	5·50
Nelamangala	1	27	1	08	14	16	14	69	—0	53				
Kankanhalli	0	44	1	05	6	24	13	87	—7	63	Ragi	20·00	23·00	12·00
Magadi	0	45	0	90	10	93	16	10	—5	17				
Channapatna	0	00	0	70	4	61	13	79	—9	18	Kulthi	13·50	13·50	12·00
Anekal	0	03	0	55	10	51	20	90	—10	39				
Devanhalli	0	55	0	76	7	63	12	20	—4	57	Kadale	7·00	7·00	5·00
Closepet	0	14	0	50	9	56	14	03	—4	47				
District average	0	47	0	73	9	89	15	09	—5	20				
KOLAR														
Kolar	0	10	0	51	9	00	13	15	—4	15				
Bowringpet	1	14	0	94	10	56	13	25	—2	69				
Chintamani	0	40	0	60	4	94	13	84	—8	90	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·50	8·00	5·00
Mulbagal	0	10	0	73	15	10	13	62	+1	48				
Sidlaghatta	0	55	0	64	7	41	14	40	—6	99	Ragi	22·00	25·00	15·00
Chikballapur	0	58	1	69	12	41	16	41	—4	00				
Bagepalli	0	68	0	65	12	09	13	38	—1	29	Kulthi	13·00	15·00	10·00
Goribidnur	0	25	0	44	10	98	11	43	—0	45				
Malur	0	63	1	25	8	80	16	64	—7	84	Kadale	6·00	6·00	5·00
Srinivaspur	0	50	1	13	7	27	13	14	—5	87				
Gudibanda	0	59	0	65	11	46	12	18	—0	72				
District average	0	50	0	84	10	00	13	77	—3	77				
TUMKUR														
Tumkur	1	22	0	51	13	03	15	02	—1	99				
Madhugiri	0	86	0	24	9	76	12	06	—2	30				
Chiknayakanhalli	1	33	0	44	21	04	12	54	+8	50	Rice, 2nd sort.	9·00	10·00	4·50
Sira	0	00	0	10	6	52	7	14	—0	62				
Gubbi	0	87	0	32	14	76	11	46	+3	30	Ragi	25·00	28·0	10·00
Tiptur	0	00	0	17	11	38	10	74	+0	64				
Pavagada	0	16	0	16	6	61	8	56	—1	95	Kulthi	16·00	16·00	10·00
Kunigal	0	00	0	52	10	00	12	85	—2	85				
Koratagere	0	00	0	39	7	18	11	14	—4	01	Kadale	7·50	7·50	4·50
Turuvekere	0	24	0	21	9	75	11	31	—1	56				
District average	0	47	0	31	11	00	11	28	+0	28				

	District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday 9th August 1931						Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
		This week		Last ten years' average for the corresponding week	Up to the end of the week from 1st January 931						
					This year	Average of past ten years	Excess (+) or deficit (—) of column 4 compared with column 5			This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
										Seers	Seers	Seers
		I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I	c.			
		1	2	3		4		5		6				
MYSORE	Mysore	0	14	0	37	11	08	14	27	—3	19			
	Chamrajnagar	0	00	0	32	9	02	11	75	—2	73			
	Seringapatam	0	39	0	36	6	26	12	15	—5	89			
	Hunsur	0	22	0	33	19	24	17	01	+2	23			
	Yedatore	0	00	0	18	13	43	13	90	—0	47	Rice, 2nd sort	7·00	8·00	7·00
	Heggaddevankote	0	45	0	38	21	59	24	93	—3	34	Ragi	20·00	20·00	11·00
	Gundlupet	0	00	0	21	10	64	13	58	—2	94				
	Nanjangud	0	00	0	55	11	03	15	68	—4	65	Kulthi	14·00	14·00	11·00
	T. Narsipur	0	14	0	84	9	46	14	45	—4	99				
	Malvalli	0	42	0	56	8	36	11	69	—3	33	Kadale	8·00	8·00	7·00
	Mandya	0	00	0	33	6	73	11	54	—4	81				
	Krishnarajpete	0	30	0	24	14	46	14	95	—0	49				
	Nagamangala	0	00	0	35	9	52	12	68	—2	56				
	Maddur	0	00	0	00	00	00	00	00	—0	00				
	Periyapatna Sub-Tk	0	59	0	00	18	03	2	06	+15	97				
	District average	0	19	0	36	12	13	13	57	—1	44				
HASSAN	Hassan	0	73	0	42	21	40	19	29	+2	12				
	Manjarabad (Saklespur)	11	48	3	69	111	36	84	97	+26	39	Rice, 2nd sort.	9·00	9·00	6·00
	Arkalgud	1	14	0	88	21	76	30	47	—8	71				
	Belur	0	95	0	54	31	27	30	09	+1	18	Ragi	22·00	22·00	16·00
	Channarayapatna	0	34	0	23	15	70	15	84	—0	14				
	Arsikere	0	00	0	31	10	80	14	51	—3	71	Kulthi	15·00	14·00	14·00
	Hole-Narsipur	0	47	0	25	15	34	15	73	—0	39				
	Alur	1	41	0	88	30	62	29	45	+1	17	Kadale	6·00	6·00	5·00
	District average	2	12	0	90	32	29	30	04	+2	25				
SHIMOGA	Shimoga	1	68	0	52	25	53	22	01	+3	52				
	Channagiri	1	32	0	66	17	96	17	03	+0	93				
	Honnali	0	38	0	24	15	26	12	63	+2	63	Rice, 2nd sort.	8·50	8·00	5·32
	Shikarpur	1	95	0	92	31	54	25	50	+6	04				
	Sorab	3	63	1	97	56	42	46	93	+9	49	Ragi	30·00	30·00	10·45
	Sagar	6	08	3	24	84	06	72	55	+11	51				
	Nagar (Kallurkatte)	5	75	2	99	111	99	90	93	+21	06	Kulthi	14·00	14·00	8·82
	Tirthahalli	9	57	3	92	117	70	104	14	+31	56				
	Kumsi	2	46	1	23	27	35	29	90	—2	55				
	District average	3	64	1	74	54	20	46	84	+7	36				
KADUR	Chikmagalur	0	50	0	36	23	53	23	78	—0	25				
	Kadur	0	27	0	16	10	84	14	59	—3	75	Rice, 2nd sort	9·00	9·00	6·00
	Tarikere	2	32	0	88	27	62	23	75	+3	87				
	Koppa	11	75	4	85	109	18	102	45	+6	73	Ragi	20·00	24·00	11·00
	Mudgere	6	64	2	17	93	38	77	40	+15	98				
	Narasimharajapura	5	83	2	78	67	58	62	90	+4	78	Kulthi	15·00	16·00	10·00
	Sringeri	10	75	7	64	143	23	137	06	+6	17	Kadale	6·00	6·00	6·00
	District average	5	44	2	69	67	92	63	13	+4	79				
CHITALDRUG	Chitaldrug	0	45	0	32	12	03	12	34	—0	76				
	Challakere	0	28	0	20	5	94	7	19	—1	25	Rice, 2nd sort.	9·00	9·00	5·00
	Hiriyur	0	43	0	30	2	57	9	72	—7	15				
	Holalkere	0	49	0	72	15	81	13	61	+2	20	Ragi	28·00	28·00	10·00
	Davangere	0	62	0	29	12	72	13	41	—0	69	Kulthi	26·00	26·00	8·00
	Molakalmuru	0	00	0	23	6	62	9	15	—3	11	Cholum	26·00	26·00	12·00
	Jagalur	0	37	0	39	12	00	12	11	—0	11	Kadale	8·00	8·00	5·00
	Hosdurga	0	10	0	28	12	67	14	30	—1	63				
	Harihar	0	48	0	26	9	75	10	98	—1	23				
	District average	0	36	0	33	9	95	11	47	—1	52				
	Provincial average	1	64	0	99	25	92	25	64	+0	28				

NOTE.—Rice (husked)—Oryza Sativa
Ragi—Eleusine Coracana.
Dolichos Biflorus.
Cholum—Sorghum Vulgare
Kadale—(Bengal gram) Cicer Arietinum

DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. The prospects of the season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage or fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Well supplied.

9. 1. *Agricultural operations.*—Sowing operations in parts of Dodballapur, Nelamangala, Magadi and Anekal Taluks and weeding operations in parts of Dodballapur and Anekal Taluks are going on.

2. *Seeds sown.*—Ragi, paddy and horsegram are being sown.

3. *Harvest.*—Nil.

4. *State of Standing crops.*—Paddy, ragi, sugar-cane and cereals are reported to be in good condition.

5. No damage is done to crops.

6. Rain is wanted in all parts.

10. Fair. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy but for prevalence of 'Black quarter' in Hullukunte village, Dodballapur Taluk.

Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Progress of Agricultural operations.*—Raiyats are engaged in sowing of Karthike paddy.

Standing Crops.—Standing crops such as paddy, ragi, sugar-cane, avare, same and sajje are reported to be generally in good condition in parts of Bowringpet, Chintamani, Mulbagal, Sidlaghatta, Goribidnur, Malur and Srinivaspur Taluks and in Gudibanda Sub-Taluk. In the remaining Taluks *viz.*, Kolar, Chikballapur and Bagepalli, the crops are withering for want of rain.

Crops sown.—Horsegram is being sown in Goribidnur Taluks and Karthike paddy in Bagepalli Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Chillies are being harvested in Malur Taluk.

10. Fair. Prices of food grains are stationary.

Labour is available.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for the prevalence of Sapperoga in the villages of Kyasamballi, Banagere, Byatarayanahalli and Doddakallahalli of Bowringpet Taluk and Black-quarter in Yellampalli village of Bagepalli Taluk.

Pasture, water and fodder are available.

TUMKUR.

8. Markets are well supplied.

Agricultural operations.—Major portions of lands in Puravara Kodigenahalli, Ittikadibbanahalli and 8 villages of Dodderi hobli in Madhugiri Taluk and in some parts of the Povagada Taluk are reported to have not been sown for want of rain. Weeding and transplantation of paddy is going on in some parts Tiptur Taluk.

9. *Crops sown.*—Ground-nut in parts of Sira, Gubbi, Koratagere Taluks; Paddy in parts of Sira and Kunigal Taluks; Ragi in parts of Sira, Gubbi, Koratagere Taluks and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk; Horsegram in parts of Sira Taluk; Jola in parts of Tiptur and Koratagere Taluks and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk; Sugar-cane in parts of Kunigal Taluk; avare, thogari and castor in parts of Koratagere and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk; Navane, and Haraka in parts of Koratagere Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Jola in parts of Chiknayakanhalli Taluk, blackgram, greegram and til in parts of Chiknayakanhalli and Tiptur Taluks; kadaragi in parts of Sira Taluk; sugar-cane in parts of Gubbi and Kunigal Taluks, yield 12 annas, paddy in parts of Gubbi and Tiptur Taluks and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk, yield 10 annas.

Standing crops.—Paddy, sugar-cane, ragi, groundnuts, castor, togari, avare, blackgram, greengram, nati ragi, haraka, navane, sajje and jola, are reported to be fair. Rain is badly wanted.

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10. *Prospects of the season.*—Fair.

Works are said to have been started by certain Village Panchayets in Sira Taluk to afford employment to the poor.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy throughout the District except for the prevalence of chappe-roga in Navale village, Kasaba hobli, Chiknayakanhalli Taluk. The Veterinary Inspector is said to have been addressed in the matter.

Water and fodder are available throughout the District but it is reported that some difficulty is being felt in Sira Taluk. It is reported by the Amildar of Madhugiri Taluk, that the poorer raiyats of some villages in the Puravara Hobli are feeding their cattle with leaves of trees.

MYSORE.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Paddy, ragi, sugar-cane, mulberry, togari, jola, avare, horsegram thadaguni, castor, cotton, til, chillies and groundnut are reported to be in good condition.

Seeds sown.—Ragi in Malvalli Taluks; transplantation of paddy in Maddur, Mysore, Heggaddevankote, Hunsur and Nanjangud Taluk, transplantation of tobacco in Periyapatna Sub-Taluk and Hunsur Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Jola in Mysore, Seringapatam and Gundlupet Taluks; sugar-cane in Mandya and Nagamangala Taluks and kar-paddy in Krishnarajpete Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are generally fair. Food stocks are available in sufficient quantity.

The standing crops in Maddur, Mysore, Mandya, Nagamangala, Seringapatam and Nanjangud Taluks are reported to be in need of rain.

11. Water and fodder are available.

Cattle are reported to be healthy in all the Taluks of the District.

HASSAN.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Paddy is being transplanted in the Manjarabad Taluk.

Standing crops.—Paddy in the Hassan, Arkalgud, and Channarayapatna Taluks and in the Alur Sub-Taluk; ragi in the Hassan, and Arkalgud Taluks and in the Alur Sub-Taluk; avare in the Hassan Taluk, togari in the Hassan and Arkalgud Taluks; sugar-cane in the Arkalgud and Channarayapatna Taluks and in the Alur Sub-Taluk; jolam in the Arkalgud and Channarayapatna Taluks; Kulthi, chillies and castor in the Arkalgud Taluks and onion, garlic and corriander in the Channarayapatna Taluk are reported to be generally in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Ragi is being harvested in the Hassan and Hole-Narsipur Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be generally good. Standing crops in the Arsikere Taluk are reported to be in need of rains urgently.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy.

Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Nil.

Crops sown.—Horsegram and Navane in the Channagiri Taluk.

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane and paddy in all the Taluks; ragi in Honnali, Sorab, Shikarpur, Channagiri and Kumsi Sub-Taluk; jolam and groundnut in Honnali and Channagiri Taluks are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Nil.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Prices of food stuffs continue to be stationary. Coolly classes find sufficient labour. Food grains are available.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy in all the Taluks except in parts of Chandragutti Hobli in the Sorab Taluk where Rinderpest is reported to be prevailing.

Veterinary Inspector is addressed to make arrangements to arrest the spread of the disease. Fodder and water are available.

KADUR.

8. Markets well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Nil.

2. *Crops sown.*—Transplanting of paddy seedlings in Chikmagalur and Tarikere Taluks.

3. *Standing crops.*—Coffee, cardamom, ragi, avare, onions, cotton, togari, jolam, castor, groundnut, paddy, sugar-cane are reported to be in good condition.

4. *Crops harvested.*—Ragi in Chikmagalur Taluk; avare, yellu and tadaguni in Tarikere Taluk and coriander, yellu and sugar-cane in Kadur Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are fair and food grains are available and their prices are steady.

11. Cattle are generally healthy throughout the District. But it is reported that foot and mouth disease is prevailing in Kotevoor and Mancheri in Chikmagalur Taluk and Metrecattu Roga is prevailing in Magala village of the above taluk. It is reported that the Veterinary Inspector concerned has been requested to check the spread of the disease.

Water and fodder for cattle are available in all the Taluks and Sub-Taluks of the District.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets were adequately supplied.

Agricultural operations.—Sowing operations in Chitaldrug, Challakere, Hiriyur, Molakalmuru and Holalkere Taluks and weeding operations in Davangere, Jagalur and Harihar Sub-Taluk are reported to be going on.

Seeds sown.—Chitaldrug Taluk :—Ragi, avere and horsegram. Challakere Taluk :—Doddaragi (under Kapile wells). Hiriyur Taluk :—Ragi and paddy (under Channel area and kapile wells). Molakalmuru Taluk :—Paddy. Holalkere Taluk :—Navane and (sannahatti) cotton.

9. *State of Standing crops.*—Standing crops are reported to be in good condition in all the Taluks. Rain is badly wanted especially in the Hiriyur Taluk.

Crops harvested with their out-turn.—Holalkere Taluk.—Til, (6 to 8 annas.).

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Prices of food stuffs continue to be stationary. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for Rinderpest in Nayakanahatti, Vobainahatti, Kalvehalli, Yeralakatte and Kyatagondanahalli villages of Challakere Taluk. Rinderpest and Chapperoga in Palavanahalli, Medakerenayakanakote, Maradihalli, Venukalgudda and Gorladaku villages of Hiriyur Taluk, Nandihalli village of Chitaldrug Taluk and throat disease in Nanditavare village of Harihar Sub-Taluk. It is also reported that "Chapperoga" is prevailing in Mirasabihalli of Challakere Taluk; Foot and mouth disease in Molakalmuru Town and Black-quarter in Dodagatta of Holalkere Taluk. Veterinary Inspectors are taking preventive measures to check the spread of the disease.

Fodder and water are available, in Bagganadu and Katanayakanahalli villages of Hiriyur Taluk, date leaves are permitted to be used as foodder for want of sufficient fodder.

OFFICE OF THE REVENUE COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE,
Dated Bangalore, 1st September 1931.

S. HIRIA NAIYA,
Revenue Commissioner.

Statement showing the prices current (retail) of rice (2nd sort), ragi and horsegram at the several Taluk Headquarters for the week ending Saturday the 29th August 1931.

District	Taluks	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas					
		Rice, 2nd sort		Ragi		Horse-gram	
		Srs.	ch.	Srs.	ch.	Srs.	ch.
Bangalore	Bangalore	7	0	20	0	13	8
	Hoskote	7	8	23	0	14	0
	Doddaballapur	7	8	24	0	16	0
	Nelamangala	6	0	25	0	15	0
	Kankanhalli	6	0	30	0	12	13
	Magadi	8	0	25	0	16	0
	Channapatna	7	0	23	0	14	0
	Anekal	7	8	24	0	14	0
	Devanhalli	6	8	20	0	15	0
	Closepet	7	0	26	0	13	0
Kolar	Kolar	7	8	22	0	13	0
	Bowringpet	7	0	20	0	12	0
	Chintamani	8	0	19	0	14	0
	Mulbagal	9	0	20	0	14	0
	Sidlaghatta	7	0	20	0	12	0
	Chikballapur	6	0	23	0	14	0
	Bagepalli	9	0	18	0	16	0
	Goribidnur	8	0	24	0	15	0
	Malur	7	0	23	0	13	0
	Srinivaspur	8	0	16	0	19	0
Tumkur	Gudibanda	8	0	24	0	16	0
	Tumkur	9	0	25	0	16	0
	Madhugiri	8	8	20	0	20	0
	Chiknayakanhalli	8	8	22	0	16	0
	Sira	8	8	20	0	16	0
	Gubbi	8	8	30	0	16	0
	Tiptur	7	0	23	0	18	0
	Pavagada	10	0	22	0	16	0
	Kunigal	7	0	24	0	15	0
	Koratagere	8	0	22	0	16	0
	Turuvekere	7	0	24	0	16	0
Mysore	Mysore	7	0	20	0	14	0
	Chamrajnagar	7	0	18	0	16	0
	Seringapatam	8	0	20	0	16	0
	Hunsur	8	8	26	0	18	0
	Yedatore	8	0	22	0	18	0
	Heggaddevankote	7	8	26	0	18	0
	Gundlupet	7	0	20	0	18	0
	Nanjangud	7	0	17	0	15	0
Mysore—*contd.*	T.-Narsipur	7	8	16	0	12	0
	Malvalli	8	0	24	0	14	0
	Mandya	8	0	22	0	16	0
	Maddur	7	0	22	0	14	0
	Krishnarajpete	7	0	20	0	20	0
	Nagamangala	6	8	20	0	16	0
	Periyapatna	9	0	25	0	20	0
Hassan	Hassan	9	0	22	0	15	0
	Manjarabad	10	0	25	0	15	0
	Arkalgud	10	0	25	0	16	0
	Belur	Not received					
	Channarayapatna	9	0	20	0	20	0
	Arsikere	8	8	24	0	18	0
	Holo-Narsipur	9	0	20	0	20	0
Shimoga	Alur	10	0	20	0	12	0
	Shimoga	8	8	30	0	14	0
	Channagiri	9	0	35	0	16	0
	Honnali	8	8	34	0	16	0
	Shikarpur	9	0	35	0	14	0
	Sorab	10	0	20	0	16	0
	Sagar	9	0	20	0	12	0
	Nagar	8	0	16	0	10	0
	Tirthahalli	9	0	15	0	12	0
Kadur	Kunigal	10	0	35	0	15	0
	Chikmagalur	9	0	20	0	15	0
	Kadur	8	0	20	0	16	0
	Tarikere	9	0	30	0	16	0
	Koppa	9	0	20	0	16	0
	Mudgere	7	0	14	0	12	0
	Narasimharajapura	8	0	20	0	12	0
Chitaldrug	Sringeri	8	0	15	0	12	0
	Chitaldrug	9	0	28	0	26	0
	Challakere	10	0	30	0	18	0
	Hiriyur	9	0	24	0	15	0
	Holalkere	8	0	30	0	18	0
	Davangere	7	0	30	0	14	0
	Molakalmuru	8	8	22	0	16	0
	Jagalur	9	8	32	0	25	0
	Hosdurga	8	0	32	0	18	0
	Harihar	8	0	32	0	18	0

OFFICE OF THE REVENUE COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE,
Dated Bangalore, 1st September 1931.

S. HIRIANNAIYA,
Revenue Commissioner.